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HOME SWEET HOME



FLT./LIEUT. H. A. SHENKER
Well known in the Fruit Belt as a goattender for the Peach Buds Junior O.M.A. teams, "Hymie" arrived on the Ile de France 10 days ago after almost two years' service overseas. He completed his tour of operations and then was on instructional work in England. His wife and child reside in St. Catharines and his mother Mrs. Gordon Tillotson resides at Jordan. John Anderson, Robinson street north is an uncle.



SGT. CLIFFORD McCARTNEY
One of several Grimsby boys who enlisted in August, 1940, with (Continued on page 6)



CPL. EDWIN A. CHARLES
Son of Rev. Dr. Arthur and Mrs. Charles, Grimsby Beach and Brooklyn, N.Y. who spent part of his leave with his parents at the Beach last week. "Bill", since a tiny tot spent all his summers at the Beach and has many friends throughout this district. He went overseas three years ago with the United States Army and served throughout the African, Italian and European campaigns. In private life he is foolish enough to be a newspaperman, let's hope he loses this idea upon return to civilian life.

FRONT PAGE

Facts and Fancies

FRUIT GROWERS RUIN THEIR OWN INDUSTRY

Last week, Robert C. Bourne, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, received a letter, that once more brought home most forcibly the fact that fruit growers of this district still continue to injure their own industry and at the same time bring a black eye to the whole Grimsby Fruit Belt.

This letter was from Tom C. McCall, Director of the Ontario Travel and Publicity Bureau, Toronto. Enclosed with it was a letter Mr. McCall had received from an American tourist who had purchased a basket of peaches in the Grimsby district, that outside of the top layer proved to be nothing but muck and rubbish. The tourist's letter is as follows:

Cleveland, Ohio,
August 11th, 1945.

Dear Sirs:-

On returning from a 10-day vacation which I have spent in Ontario, I purchased a basket of peaches, about a peck size, from a Mr. or a Mrs. as the name was slightly blurred on the basket. The basket looked beautiful with net covering. When we opened the basket we found the top layer in fair condition, but the rest was all rotten fruit not fit to eat.

I believe that this is no way to sell fruit to residents or tourists. The city on the basket was Grimsby, Ontario.

I remain,

Yours truly,
Joseph Bolek,
13, 400 Glendale Ave.

Is that not a nice reputation for the Grimsby Fruit Belt to have hung on it. How many more hundreds of baskets of the same kind of stuff have been purchased by residents and tourists already this season, without a complaint being made to anyone?

Just because a purchaser of a basket of this rubbish does not make a complaint, does not say that harm has not been done to the industry as a whole. Very few people will bother to sit down and write a complaint to someone in authority, but just the same they do not forget that they have been bilked and in the future cease to buy Grimsby peaches.

For years the fruit growers of this district have been doing the fruit industry great harm by the careless manner in which fruit has been packed and by the packing underneath the first layer of good stuff, small and knobby and even partially decayed fruit.

Unless the growers in this district wake up and produce a real package of high grade quality goods the day is not far distant when they will have no other market for their pro-

duct except the canning factory. The public simply will not keep on being gulled like they have been for years.

Don't be surprised that within two years' time British Columbia growers and shippers with their high grade packages capture all the Ontario and Quebec markets, also the Maritimes, just the same as they have practically cornered the Western markets British Columbia peaches are on sale in Toronto this week, even before the Niagara main crop is ready to pick.

No one can rightfully claim that the B. C. Peaches are of the same flavor and quality of the Niagara Peninsula product, but no one can deny either that the B. C. grower is putting up by far the finest package and at least giving the purchasers value for their money.

This facing of fruit and the shipping and selling to truckers of small fruit, green fruit and bad fruit has been going on for years and unless the growers get "hep" to themselves and send out onto the markets a real honest-to-goodness package of real quality goods then B. C. is going to take their markets right out from under them.

Sure they will have the canning factories left, but the grower knows as well as I know, that the canning factories won't take the trash that is now being packed into the bottom of the basket to be shipped onto the open market.

What this district needs is central packing to a standard under a strict inspection system and until this time comes about the fruit industry is going to keep slipping down the scale. Central pack and strict inspection is the solution. You may say we have fruit inspection today. Yes, in a sort of a way at the fruit shipping platforms. How many truckers are stopped and their loads inspected? How much inspection is done in the growers' packing houses? How much inspection is done at the innumerable roadside stands?

As a matter of fact the present day fruit inspection system is a bigger joke than anything that Bob Hope or Fibber McGee in their balmy moments could conjure up.

It is time that the fruit grower woke up to the fact that if he is going to do business on the open market he has got to produce the goods. It is also time that the fruit industry had a strict, overall inspection system in force, or else the whole fruit industry insofar as the Niagara district is concerned, is going to become a back number.

Was In Aldershot During The Riots

Pte. F. Bivand Still Does Not Know What It Was All About—On Duty At Repat Depot.

Pay Office,
No. 7 Cdn. Repat. Depot,
B117106 Pte. Bivand, F.C.,
Cdn. Army Overseas,
9 July, 1945.

Dear Carm:

Once again it is my privilege to write and thank the cigarette fund for the good job they have done in the past and still going on. One thing is certain the Grimsby boys have been looked after very good and the number should be dwindling down now they are beginning to send some of them home. I haven't met any home town boys since Christmas but am on the lookout for them here. As you can see by the address I am in a repat station and at present working on Burma-bound men. But most of them are on their way now.

I guess you have heard of the damage that has been done in this (Continued on page 6)

Start Sewers

Damoor Bros., Niagara Falls contractors, started work on Tuesday morning on the construction of the new sewers on the east and west sides of Kingsway Boulevard in the Alderson survey.

Work was started on the east sewer. Very little water was encountered at the start although heavy clay was run into at about the six foot level. The sewers will be eight feet deep the full length.

The work is being done by machinery and as soon as the sewer job is finished the water mains will be laid on both sides of the street.

SERVICEMEN ARRIVE HOME

Pte. Melburne Smith, R.C.A. S.C., son of John Smith of the town works department arrived home last week. On the fifth day of next month Mel will have completed six years in the uniform. He went overseas with the first division and after long months of training and service in the British Isles finally landed in France on D-Day. He helped chase Heine across France, Belgium, Holland and was in Germany on V-E Day.

Stoker P.A. Harry A. Miller, son of Mike and Mrs. Miller, R.R. No. 1 North Grimsby, is home on leave, after which he will receive his discharge. Harry has had five and a half years' service in the Royal Canadian Navy and has seen action half way around the world. He says it is a long time to be riding the waves so thinks he will stick to dry land for awhile.

Pte. Arthur Mitchell Metcalfe, R.H.L.I. oldest son of Township Assessor Gofon and Mrs. Metcalfe, Ridge Road west, enlisted in July, 1940, at the age of 19, with the Lincoln and Welland Regt. He served eight months on the west coast and was married there to (Continued on page 6)

Grimsby Weather

Week ending at 8 a.m. Monday, August 20th:

Highest temperature — 90.0
Lowest temperature — 49.8
Mean temperature — 71.1
Precipitation — 0.47 inches

"Toke" Fair Back In North Holland

Is Fully Recovered From Wounds After Five Months In England — Now Wearing a Kilt.

Sunday, July 29/45

Hello Carm:
Well here I am again to thank you and the Chamber of Commerce for the gift of 300 Buckingham cigarettes which I received in today's mail.

As always, they are more than welcome. It is also gratifying to know that you folks back home are still carrying on the splendid job of getting those precious smokes across the Atlantic. Even now that hostilities have ceased in Europe, there will be some of us that won't be home till around Christmas or even not till the New Year.

No doubt you will be wondering why you haven't had word from me sooner. After I was wounded I spent four or five months in England. I left England the first week in July, and I am now back in Holland.

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B.C. Raspberries Sent To Britain

Victoria, Aug. 16.—A total of 1,200 tons of raspberries in a chemical preservative solution will be moved to the United Kingdom for this year's pack from the Fraser Valley and the Okanagan, Trades Minister E. C. Carson announced today.

Contracts have been completed with the United Kingdom Ministry of Food, and export allocations of the tonnage, to a total of 6,000 barrels, has been made by the Foods Administration of the Prices Trade Board.

WATER COMMISSION TO BUY NEW CHLORINATING SYSTEM

WHITE AIRCRAFT FACTORY IS RAPIDLY NEARING COMPLETION

Grimsby Clinic Not Reopening

Demand For Plasma Diminishes With War Ending — Red Cross Chairman Sends Letter Of Thanks.

With the ending of the war the great demand for blood plasma is diminishing and as a result the Grimsby Blood Clinic has served its purpose and will not re-open this coming autumn.

Chairman Wm. Hewson desires through these columns to express his sincere thanks to all people in the Grimsby, Winoona, Beamsville and Smithville districts for their great help and their donations of blood during the 18 months that the local clinic was in operation.

In connection with the closing of the clinic the following letter of thanks has been received by Mr. Hewson:

Mr. William Hewson,
Chairman, Blood Donor Service,
The Canadian Red Cross Society,
Grimsby, Ontario.

Dear Bill:
By this time you will no doubt have heard about the official closing of the clinics since the ending of the war.

I am just sending this little personal note to express my appreciation for the fine co-operation you and your workers have given this important work.

I am sure one of the great joys we have now is in hearing the boys (Continued on page 6)

It Costs Money To Burn Lights

Up-to-Date No Organization Has Offered To Pay For Juice For Coloured Lights On Main Street.

Some time during the Tuesday night V-J celebration some person or persons broke open the lock on the switch box that controls the Main street colored lights and turned them on. The turning on of the lights did not mean so much, it was the fact that they smashed open the box.

These lights have not been turned on since shortly after the outbreak of war, mainly on account of power restrictions. Since the removal of the power restrictions the lights have not been used as no person or organizations came forth to pay the power bills and also to pay for the replacing of bulbs that have become useless. The merchants have made no effort to pay for the power nor has (Continued on page 6)

Cement Floors Laid — Roof Finished—Office Partitions Erected—Electrical Wiring And Fixtures Installed — Wash Rooms Ready.

A FINE BUILDING

Gas Co. Have Run a Line From Ontario Street — Several Pieces Of Machinery And Office Furniture Moved In.

Progress in getting the E.D.H. factory on Elizabeth street in shape for occupancy is going on apace and it should not be long before the wheels of industry will be merrily whirling.

The building was recently purchased by the White Aircraft Co. The partially finished roof has been completed. New cement floors have been laid. The two balconies at the east and west ends of the main building have been floored and the stairways leading to them built.

Partitions in the office section have been erected and provide for a main office and four private offices. Washrooms and toilets for both male and female help in the factory and in the offices are now installed and the electricians are busy putting in the electric wiring (Continued on page 6)

Winding Up The Cigarette Fund

Started In February, 1941, And Since That Time Have Collected \$3,285 — Million Smokes Went Overseas.

Grimsby Cigarette Fund is being wound up and will soon only be a memory. At a meeting of the committee last week it was decided that with the cessation of hostilities on all fronts; the return of so many boys and the constant moving about of other boys still overseas, it was time to close the books.

The last shipment of cigarettes was made in April and a large portion of these were undeliverable to our own boys owing to army movements. A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce committee will be held shortly to see what will be done with the balance of money on hand.

The last collection from the glass jars was made last week and the final monthly statement is as follows:

Store bottles	\$32.34
Happy Gang Bridge Club	5.00
Oscar Bridge Club	7.22
Metal Craft boys	4.50
Total	\$49.06

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Old Plant Installed In 1922 Is Worn Out—Will Be Replaced And Kept For Emergency — To Secure Prices On Water Pump For Works Gang.

REPAIR GAS PUMP

North Grimsby Council Wait On Commission And Ask For Reduction Of Rate For Water Supplied To Township Systems — Are Paying 26 Cents a Thousand Gallons.

Grimsby Water Commission in session on Tuesday night were waited upon by a deputation from North Grimsby council, headed by Reeve Durham, requesting that the Commission give some consideration to the reduction of the rate now being paid by the township for water. At the present time the township is paying 26 cents a thousand gallons and the consumption has grown to such a peak that the east end system is barely paying expenses of water and maintenance.

The township system is a meter system and Commissioner Wells suggested that it would be a good idea if all the meters in use were given a thorough inspection by a competent meter man, as he believed that a lot of water was being wasted by the non-proper functioning of the meters.

Chairman Wilkins held out no hope for a reduction in rate owing to the fact that the Commission had been called upon to expend money this year that they had not anticipated and also they were faced with the expenditure of a goodly sum for a new chlorinating system at the pump house. Also they must provide for the very im- (Continued on page 7)

Motorist Fails To Return Can

"Dyke" Lawson Says He Is Done Playing The Good Samaritan — V-J Day Travellers Helped When Stranded.

On V-J Day last week all the Grimsby garages and service stations were closed. The independent staff was working. A young man and his lady friend walked into the office. Their car had run out of gas on the Queen Elizabeth, two miles west of town.

"Dyke" Lawson very kindly loaned them a gasoline can with about a gallon of gas in it. Told them how to get to Ryan's service station for a "fill up". They promised to return the can.

A week has gone by and "Dyke" is still looking for his can. It is motorists of this type that make things bad for other motorists who become stranded on the highways. "Dyke" says that he is positively finished playing the Boy Scout act.

'Way Back In The Horse And Dray Days



This old picture had a lot of people "guessing". As a matter of fact it has The Independent stopped insofar as knowing who some of the men in the picture are. Reading from left to right we have Ronald MacKinnon standing on the dray. Then comes Willis W. Beamer, D. J. MacKinnon, Rev. W. J. Andrewes, the next man is unknown. Then comes Hamilton Pettit and Linus Woolverton. The next two men on the platform and the two men in the car door are unknown. The man at the end of the dray with the felt hat on is Prof. Craig of Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y. The man in his shirt sleeves is E. J. Woolverton and behind him is his son Norman Woolverton. Standing on the dray is Harold Woolverton. Sitting on the dray in the forefront is William Pettit and Lewis L. Hagar. This

picture was taken in 1898 at what was known as the cold storage building which stood just north of the C.N.R. tracks on the lot that is now vacant between the tracks and A. P. Norton's house. This building was the first experimentation in Canada of storing fruit and pre-cooling fruit before shipment in refrigerator cars. This particular picture was taken as the first shipment of Bartlett pears was being made to England. That year 3746 cases of pears, 1456 cases of apples and 82 cases of quinces were exported as an experiment. The idea proved successful and good prices were realized. A complete story, with prices, will be printed in a later issue of The Independent regarding these experimental shipments of fruit to the Old Country. Harold Woolverton and Ronald MacKinnon are the only two men in the group that are alive today.

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FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

DON'T BE A "SNAFFLEWORM"

(Wartime Prices and Trade Board definition:—A "snaffleworm", one who snaffles, snares, wangles or otherwise acquires more than his fair share of rationed goods by illegal methods and hence is a WORM—the lowest living creature)

I'm just a slimy snaffleworm,
A mean and hateful thing,
I thrive on goods in short supply
And discontent I bring.
Not satisfied to get my share
I try to wangle more
And sneer at honest citizens
Who stay within the law.

The nation's needs I snigger at,
In selfishness I crawl
And anything that's hard to get
I try and grab it all.
Black markets are my feeding grounds
It's there I leer and lurk
That's why they call me snaffleworm,
A dirty piece of work!

ARE WE STUBBORN?

The stubbornness of the human mind interests us no little, writes J. V. McAree in The Globe & Mail, for have you noticed how a warning is ignored by the public? If it says "Don't walk on the grass," on the grass is where you will find John Public walking. If it says "Don't touch," fingers will fly out automatically.

The other day we were watching a friend of ours—ordinarily a sensible citizen—walk right up to a farm house and despite the prominently displayed sign "Beware of Dog," he barged right through the back gate. He got nipped. But that's the way it is. Suggestions for its own good are what the public is most likely ignore.

Numbers of citizens have been killed in traffic accidents literally sprinkled with warnings against speeding, of curves ahead, soft shoulders, other traffic hazards. Perhaps if a more crafty way of safeguarding their health is devised—like telling people not to do the things we really want them to do, it would be a more simple way of inviting precautions.

"PRODUCTION FOR USE AND NOT FOR PROFIT"

J. B. Priestly champion of a different age, or is it a new age, said a few days ago: "We should have production for use instead of for profit."

Nobody has yet described this peculiar animal, writes R. J. Deachman. We read about the humming birds of Brazil, the kangaroos of Australia, the many varieties of fish beneath the tropic seas, but there must be an enormous number of people who haven't the slightest idea of production for use and not for profit, and strange to say the least informed, are those who talk the most about it.

Things are produced because they have a use. If they have no use what would be the object of producing them. What is meant by these makers of phrases?

Ah, I know, some people want fancy "hair-do's", costume jewelry and ornamentation of dress. What do people seek in this world—pleasure and enjoyment, and if people do not get it out of these things why do they pay for them? They are therefore, so far as the wearers are concerned, purchased for use, Mr. Priestly to the contrary not notwithstanding.

When people are well dressed they are more efficient. If you want to hire a good stenographer pick one who wears her clothes as if she were proud of them. "Careless of dress—careless of words" is a general rule. Where now, in this age, would we find a woman who wears clothes merely for use, solely as a cover for nakedness, merely to shut out both cold and heat?

What is generally considered as profit, constitutes payment for the use of buildings, machines and equipment employed in the

production of goods. Here is a vacant lot, a building is erected, machinery is installed, production begins. A part of the selling price represents payment for the use of machines. Under socialism the same thing will happen—the consumer will pay, in the price of the things he buys, for the use of the machines which produced them. The socialist does not want to do this but he will have to do it nevertheless.

You may be a very efficient employer. There may be no bottle-necks in your business, employer-employee relations harmonious, health conditions satisfactory. You pay your workers more, they earn more. Profit, in this case, may come as payment for exceptional ability, capacity to direct the work of others, so that they produce more with less effort. What guarantees has Mr. Priestly that this quality will be enhanced when incentive ceases?

What reason is there to believe that we would, in that way, get greater value for our dollar? If not, then production for use may mean that the consumers of the nation will give more, get less. Profit is a measuring stick, an incident of good service. Profit provides evidence that the man who runs the business knows what he is doing. Will those who speak so frequently of production for use, and not for profit, tell us just how much extra they expect to get for their dollars under the new system? Are they sure that under these conditions they will have more dollars? There's the problem in a nutshell.

LET US PRESERVE

THE CANADIAN WAY OF LIFE

(Canadian Statesman, Bowmanville)

The Brewing Industry of Ontario is supporting the Canadian Government, the people as a whole and the cause of Canadians in the armed services in a striking and effective manner. Using space in the press for illustrated advertisements, their current continuing appeal is directed at people on the home front to preserve "The Canadian Way of Life," and as a means to this end a primary consideration is to protect the Canadian dollar so that it will buy a real dollar's worth of goods when the boys come home from fighting abroad.

To achieve this, what we must do, all of us, is to fight inflation all along the line. The press carries these striking advertisements for they hit directly at a national peril.

It should be noted that the Brewing Industry are prohibited from advertising their product by the Government, which in turn gives approval for this series of advertisements, and the press, generally in favor of temperance, gives support to these Government approved issues.

The text of the advertisement stresses the fact that thoughtlessness, unnecessary and uncontrolled buying invariably tend to rise in prices. As prices go up, wages rise and the value of the dollar goes down. We had a dose of this after the last war. It must not happen again, and we can certainly prevent it.

Putting into concise form the means of upholding the dollar's value, the advertisements suggest a public pledge for each individual to fight inflation: "By observing rationing and avoiding black markets in any form. By respecting price controls and to refrain from careless and unnecessary buying. By buying Victory Bonds and War Savings Stamps and abiding by all measures that will keep prices at a normal level."

The appeal is put in simple terms that can be understood by everyone. The danger point is approaching with the end of the war in sight. The sponsors of these appeals are using money to good advantage and rendering a national service of great importance in these very critical times.

SOME LEARN — SOME DON'T

Call this a footnote to inflation or what you will.

A new delivery boy—about 15—handed us the 12 cents change coming to us.

"Okay, sonny, that's for you," we said, waving the money aside.

He glowered at the 12 cents, growled, "I don't want that. I don't accept tips with coppers in 'em."

Sheepishly—then with a sense of aroused virtue—we pocketed the 12 cents and slammed the door.

We don't think Sonny is a very smart businessman. We don't think Sonny's parents (if he has any) are the least bit smart for letting him grow to 15 or thereabouts with his abysmal scorn for coppers.

Wartime has made a lot of people money-dizzy. Income taxes have done a sharp and supremely effective job in reminding most workers—particularly those on salary—of the value of dollars—and pennies. But wartime income and tax methods have also taught thousands of Canadians—old, middle-aged and young—habits of wild carelessness.

The kid who scorns pennies in his tip has trouble in store. We feel sorry for him.

He profits most who puts as much pep and joy into his work as he does in his pleasure.



Local restaurants certainly know that the "Yanks" are in Canada.

Mel. Johnson extracting the dead flies out of his display windows with a vacuum cleaner.

What's stewing when you see Insurance Agent "Bud" Wilson and Mortician Geo. Curtis in private conference.

It won't be long now, boys and gals, until The Bowlaway is open. "Little Whizzer", much against his will, is busy as a whole hive of bees sanding down and polishing the alleys, wielding a paint brush and doing a lot of other things.

Main Street Of Forty Years Ago

This is what Main street looked like in the year 1905. There was no pavement then, just dirt road or a so called water bound macadam. Note the old H. G. and B. tracks down the centre of the street. No automobiles in those days, just Old Dobbin and buggies and drays. As the picture shows the street then was a forest of trees and poles. Practically all gone now. On the left in the foreground, the building with the awning, was the J. C. Mariatt furniture store and undertaking establishment, now occupied by Grimsby Natural Gas Co. and DelaPlante's real estate office. From that point down the street the buildings are pretty much the same as they are today with the possible exception of new fronts.



'WAY BACK WHEN

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

WHO KNOWS?

Hamilton, Aug. 13, 1945.

Mr. Orlon Livingston.

Sir:

What years the late Bill House conducted a livery stable in connection with his auctioneer career, when he resided at the north west corner of Main street and Neill's side road?

Back fifty years or more, but who can recall along the board walks, and under the shady maples, about this time of the year, when a German band could be heard, also a hurdy-gurdy and frequently a hand organ and monkey could be heard and seen, not forgetting the performing bears?

Those were the old days, when perambulators were not seen, but, it was a daily occurrence to see the owners of cows tethering their milkers on the streets and some even loose, grazing along the two plank walks and the dandelion and grassy paths.

Space will not permit the names of all the owners of those milk producers, but with them was the delivery of milk "in bulk" by Messrs Calder and Smith, from the mountain top, also George Garr, whose dairy then, was situated on St. Andrew's Avenue, (when it was but a lane) and his house and dairy barn stood where the Parish hall is now located.

What year, during the great orange celebration, in the village, on the 12th of July, when the sports were held in Victoria Park, did Ben Hewson operate a refreshment booth at the corner of Elizabeth St. and Victoria Ave.?

With other items following to revive the village age.

I remain,

Francis Hill.

P.S.—Congratulations to Mr. James Smith, of Stoney Creek, senior partner of Calder and Smith, Dairyman, on his 91st birthday, August 10th.

GRIMSBY PARK IN 1901

At the turn of the century, Grimsby Park was advertised as "Canada's Greatest Summer Resort," and, judging from the Souvenir Programme which was issued for the year 1901 it looks as if the claim was well founded.

The attendance was consistently maintained and 1900 was an average year. The record of visitors follows:

12,258 by single admission tickets.
352 two-day ticket admissions.
282 three-day ticket admissions.
94 five-day ticket admissions.
437 one-week ticket admissions.
807 season ticket admissions.
5,564 excursion ticket admissions.
19,794 total ticket admissions.
Nearly twenty thousand persons in one short season.

In addition to the religious instruction every day, these were many platform entertainments announced. It will be noted that these were varied and numerous.

American and Foreign Talent
Rev. Ward Beecher Pickard, Cleveland.

Norm. Harris telling "Toots" Culp, that his number two peaches are bigger than Mert. Zimmerman's Selects.

Returned servicemen greeting one another and comparing notes on who chased the most Heinies and Wops into their holes.

Morris Udell trying to convince Ye Ed. that he has to use a step-ladder to pick the tomatoes off the tops of his staked-up vines.

"Happy" Hillier sitting on the curb waiting for a bus. The bus was late. Now what was "Happy" thinking and saying to himself?

Main street clean as a whistle real early Thursday morning after the two nights' celebration. Good work on the part of Supt. Lawrie and his men.

Clayt. Rahn had an attack of "working fever" last week and as a result the old "break-your-neck" stoop behind the gas office and DelaPlante's office was torn down. This aroused an idea in DelaPlante's noodle and he immediately ordered a carload of Halliday's pine slabs. Result, a new stoop.

The Village Banker tickled pink over the fact that he has at last secured a domicile in Grimsby. It won't be long now until he will be able to move his family from the grime, smoke and iniquitous environs of Hamilton, to the pure, salubrious atmosphere of the Fruit Belt.

Force of habit causes people to do funny things. Particularly servicemen who have been away across the pond for five or more years. Last week Cfm. John House came home and he immediately held himself away to Bert Flett's barber shop to get a shave. He did not know that Bert had forsaken the art of razor wielding. Hughetta offered to curl his hair but John hasn't much hair on the top of his pate to curl so the offer was refused.

A Gentleman

One of the New York newspapers recently conducted a discussion of the question, "What Is a Gentleman?" Out of the very great number of replies received was culled the following as being the best definition.

"A man who is clean inside and out, who neither looks up to the rich or down on the poor, who can lose without squealing and who can win without bragging. Who is considerate of women, children and old people, who is too brave to lie, too generous to cheat, who takes his share of the world and lets other people have theirs."

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The Good Old Days

"In the good old days," my granddaddy said,
"In the good old days by lamps we read
And by ten o'clock we were all in bed."

"In the good old days," my father told,
"We didn't race through life — we strolled
And sat by stoves when the nights were cold."

In the good old days, which I oft review,
We had telephones and autos, too,
And I think more fun than our youngsters do.

When silver comes to the youthful brow,
They'll learn what only the years allow.
They are living their good old days, right now.

It is better to keep quiet and be considered a fool than to speak and confirm it.

Mainly For MILADY

Britain's Petite Ball Of Fire

All reports about Britain's sole woman Minister of the Crown indicate she is a petite ball of fire. Ellen Wilkinson's height is four feet nine inches and her hair is red.

It was in 1924 that she first propelled herself into Parliament with the quietness of a buzz bomb. In those days Conservatives shuddered as they listened to "Red Nell" (a nickname earned by her hair and temperament) and perchance they are still shuddering. When Miss Wilkinson bobbed her hair there was said to be a momentary cessation of hostilities (and affairs of government) in Britain's Parliament. The bobbing created a veritable to-do.

The Minister of Education is a staunch feminist. She bitingly resents all the unkind generalities that males are wont to launch against women. During this war she wrote a book about woman's part in the national effort.

Miss Wilkinson first came to this continent in 1930 to study unemployment and she came again in 1945 as a delegate to the San Francisco conference.

Meat Stretchers

DO IT WITH BREADCRUMBS

"Twice as far? Yes, twice as far". Ground meat for patties and meat loaves can be made to go twice as far by adding breadcrumbs as a stretcher. They can't be beat! Use soft stale crumbs—cup for cup with the meat. Season well; use milk or tomato juice for moistening. No one but you will know they're there.

PIES ARE POPULAR

A meat pie that men like is made by lining a pie plate with pastry. Next a filling of well-seasoned ground left-over meat moistened with gravy, then an upper crust and into the oven. Good and coupon-thrifty.

GOOD GRAVY!

The housewife's best friend when it comes to making the most of the meat ration is really good gravy—brown and richly flavoured. It works magic with dishes that may be innocent of any meat at all or contain only the last fragments of the Sunday roast. So make lots of gravy. Stored in a cold place it keeps for days. To get all the meat flavour, always make the gravy in the pan which cooked the meat. To get natural brownness, best flavour and freedom from lumps, add the dry flour to the fat and cook slowly until a rich brown. Then add liquid.

TO STRETCH—DON'T SHRINK

Don't let the Sunday roast shrink in the oven if you want to stretch your meat ration. It's a sad sight when a five pound roast comes out of the oven weighing less than four pounds, yet that's just what does happen when the oven is too hot. An even temperature between 325° F. and 350° F. keeps shrinkage at a minimum and gives juicier, more tender meat.

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Whether you pick your own assortment of salad materials or buy them, please do be sure that they're young and tender. Wash thoroughly, drain on towel and chill to crispness before you use them. Chop, slice or shred finely. Just before serving add salad dressing toasting the ingredients together—do not mix too much. If your salads are to be attractive and crisp do not prepare them too long before serving.

THE SUGGESTION BOX

Mrs. J. S. says: (1) To stiffen net veils iron them on waxed paper.

(2) Freshen roses by placing them face down in a bowl of cold water.

(3) Stamps stuck together can be separated by covering them with a sheet of paper and pressing with a warm iron.

Mrs. M. M. says: We've had our electric toaster in constant service for 18 years because we keep crumb tray clean and keep cord free from kinks; pull out the plug gently—never yank it. If toast sticks, we ease it out carefully with a fork; never dunk toaster in water and above all handle it carefully.

SALAD SUGGESTIONS

1. Sliced beef liver loaf, spinach and lettuce salad with sour cream and chopped hard-cooked egg dressing, tomato wedges.

2. Jellyed vegetable moulds, cheese and parsley sandwiches (triple decker ribbons with brown and white bread), pickled beets.

3. Stuffed cooked beets, chilled green beans in French dressing, green onions, radishes.

4. Jellyed veal and rice moulds, currant jelly, mixed vegetable greens on nasturtium greens with salad dressing.

5. Egg halves in tomato jelly, cottage cheese and parsley moulds, brown rolls stuffed with cabbage slaw.

6. Corned beef and head cheese, jellyed horse-radish, macaroni salad, grated carrot with mayonnaise, lettuce.

7. Chilled cooked fish on lettuce, cucumbers in sour cream and potato salad.

CORN CAKES

$\frac{3}{4}$ cups cooked corn, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup milk, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. sugar, 2 eggs, $\frac{7}{8}$ cup flour, 3 tps. baking powder, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt.

Add the milk and sugar to corn and combine with the eggs which have been well beaten. Sift together the dry ingredients and add to the corn mixture. Drop by tablespoonfuls into greased muffin tins. Bake in an electric oven at 375°—about one-half hour. (Suggested for meat salads).

MOCK POTATO CAKES

1 cup dried split peas, 1 cup dry bread crumbs, 4 tps. milk, 2 tps. minced onion, 1 tsp. sage, 2 eggs (beaten), 2 tsp. pickle sauce, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt and f.g. pepper.

Cook washed split peas in boiling salted water until tender (soak for a few hours first, if desired), then drain and force through a sieve to make a thick puree. Combine with remaining ingredients and mix thoroughly. Shape into patties and roll in additional crumbs. Chill in electric refrigerator until tea time (about one hour) then saute until brown. Serve with a relish, if desired.

USE TOMATO JUICE TO CAN NON-ACID VEGETABLES

Even experienced homemakers have had some spoilage with peas, corn and string beans. These vegetables are difficult to home can (without a pressure cooker) because they are non-acid. We can now recommend the following procedure to add acidity. Wash string beans, string top and tail, wash and cut in uniform sizes. Put into kettle, cover with water and boil 3 minutes. Pack to within 1 inch of top, fill jar half full of canned tomatoes, then fill to top with liquid used in pre-cooking. Process in water bath for $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours. Remove, test and cool. Peas and tomatoes: $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours. Corn and tomatoes: 45 mins.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o (The Grimsby Independent). Send in your suggestions on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

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BUDGET AND CHARGE ACCOUNTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE REGULATIONS

Social Events — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities

Reeve Clarence Lewis is home from the West.

Francis and Mrs. Liddle, Toronto, were weekend visitors with Mrs. Thos. Liddle.

John and Mrs. Liddle and little son of Windsor are visiting with Mrs. Thos. Liddle at Rossmore.

Mrs. Morley F. Robinson and children, North Bay, are visiting with Mrs. W. F. Robinson, 5 Adelaide St.

Mrs. Wm. Hyde and daughter of Ogdensburg, N.Y. are spending a month's vacation with Bert and Mrs. Smith.

Rev. and Mrs. T. Neville, of Winnipeg, Man., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Simpson, Main St. West.

Miss Stella Konopski spent the weekend in Toronto, and was one of the bridesmaids at her cousin's wedding on Saturday.

Reeve Chas. W. and Mrs. Durham, Grimsby Beach, entertained the 14 Children's Aid wards that reside with them, and visiting guests to a picnic at Long Beach on Lake Erie on Sunday. The kiddies had a great time playing on the sandy beach and swimming in the lake.

Births

DENISON—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Linton Denison, of 191 Dawlish Ave., Toronto, announced the birth of their daughter, Elizabeth Esther Denison, born Sunday, August 5th, 1945, at Private Patients' Pavilion, Toronto General Hospital. Mrs. Denison was formerly Miss Margaret Jones, teacher of Spanish at St. Clement's School for Girls, Toronto. Mr. Denison was a resident of Grimsby until 1930.

St. John's Presbyterian Church

Francis McAvoy, B.A., B.Th. Minister.

Gospel Hall

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LORD'S DAY

Breaking of Bread — 11 a.m.
Sunday School — 3 p.m.
Gospel Meeting — 7 p.m.

Wednesday

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Mrs. Nan Miller is holidaying at Picton.

Carl and Mrs. King, Toronto were visitors in town last week.

Jas. I. and Mrs. Theal returned last week from a vacation at Sparrow Lake, Muskoka district.

Thomas and Mrs. Gammage, Port Dalhousie, were looking up old friends in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Walters, Jr. of London are holidaying with friends and relatives at Grimsby Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walters, of London, visited with their daughters, Mrs. D. Gamble, over the weekend.

Mrs. Lorne Baldwin and her daughter Mrs. Hughes, of Fort Erie, visited friends in town on Thursday last.

Russell and Mrs. Kratz and son Lee and Philip Moberley have returned from a pleasant vacation at Wasaga Beach.

Mrs. S. E. Woodhall, of Winnipeg, Man., who has been spending the past month with her brother, Mr. Geo. Hartwell has returned home.

Mrs. Ena Roberts of New York and Miss Bernice Hawke of Toronto are holidaying with their parents, A. F. and Mrs. Hawke, Main East.

Chief Mechanic's Mate Frank H. Anderson, R.C.N., is home on 14 days' leave preparatory to taking his discharge after four years' service on the high seas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Garlick, of Toronto, Miss Jean Garlick, of New York, and Flt. Lieut. Bruce Garlick, recently returned from overseas, were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Eaton.

Over the V-J holidays Bert and Mrs. Smith, Charlie and Mrs. Norman, Miss Mary Smith and Mr. Hartley of Hamilton, motored down the St. Lawrence to Cardinal and visited Ogdensburg, N.Y.

Congratulations are extended to our venerable and honored ex-principal of Grimsby Public School, Mr. J. H. Forman, Livingston ave., who tomorrow, August 24th, celebrates his 80th birthday.

The West Lincoln Concert Orchestra met for one of the Summer practices at the home of Major and Mrs. R. G. Saunders, Beamsville, on Monday last. The Practices for September will be held in the Kitchentown of the Beamsville High School on the second and fourth Thursdays instead of Mondays as heretofore. Members are requested to attend the first of these on Sept. 14th, when it is planned to start rehearsing a programme for public presentation.

Card of Thanks

Mr. Robert Cosby, Mrs. Vernon Gowland and Miss Pearl Coyle desire to express their sincere thanks to their many friends and acquaintances for their kind expressions of sympathy and assistance during the recent sad bereavement.

Mr. A. W. Eickmeier and family wish to express their appreciation for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy and condolence, extended by friends and neighbours during the recent illness and death of their beloved wife and mother.

Mrs. Clifford McCartney of the Post Office Staff is on holidays.

Mrs. Wm. Flett, Jr. of Seaford visited in town for a few hours on Friday last.

Mrs. Geo. Bell, of Bobcaygeon, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Graham, John St.

Clifford and Mrs. Atwell of Detroit have been visitors with T. A. and Mrs. Flett and A. J. and Mrs. Hayward.

Delbert Merritt of Stratford visited last week with his daughters Mrs. Geo. Gledhill and Mrs. Joe Waites.

Mrs. Nellie Caldwell of Dundas, and Corp. Cleland Caldwell of Toronto visited with relatives in town over the weekend.

Mrs. Charles Baird and Mr. Arthur Baird of St. Mary's have been the guests of the R.C.A.F. Mrs. Neil M. Leckie.

Mrs. A. Wilcox has left for Vancouver to take up residence with her husband, Sgt. A. R. Wilcox, R.C.A.F., stationed on the west coast.

Sergt. Teddy Fisher, R.C.A.F., was home over the weekend. He expects to have his discharge from the service by the end of the month.

Miss Masie Stormont has returned to her home at Kirkland Lake after a pleasant visit with her aunt Mrs. A. M. Powell, St. Andrew's avenue.

Ronald and Mrs. Beckstead, Merlin, and Fred. and Mrs. Fleetwood of Hamilton, were weekend visitors with Reeve and Mrs. C. W. Durham, Grimsby Beach.

E. Bruce and Mrs. Murdoch, Mrs. Helen Thompson and the two little Thompsons have returned from a two weeks motoring trip through Northern Ontario.

Master Billy Campbell of Hamilton who has been visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sweet for the past three weeks, returned to his home on Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Henry, Mountain street had a birthday last week and the whole wide world celebrated it. Mr. Henry was 86 years of age on V-J Day, August 14th. He entertained a number of relatives to dinner for the occasion.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sweet were Mr. Charles Campbell, Buddy Campbell, Miss Jean Valeriana and Miss Adelia Campbell, and Mrs. George Fisher, all of Hamilton, and Mrs. Thomas Milne and children, Billy and Llewella of Frantford, Ont.

Benjamin Hewson for many years a resident of Grimsby, but for the past 25 years residing in Florida he sold out all his holdings in the south and returned to Dunnville to live. He was a visitor with his nephew ex-Mayor Arthur Hewson on Thursday last.

Mrs. S. H. Nalish, Winona, entertained recently in honour of Mr. and Mrs. William Weafer and the three Weafer brothers, who held a reunion there after being separated for a number of years. The brothers are: Alfred, Brandon; Ernest, Chicago; Harold, Wyoming, and William, Winona.

In Memoriam

WARNER — In loving memory of our friend Mrs. Sam Warner who passed away two years ago.

In our hearts your memory lingers Always tender, fond and true There is not a day dear friend But what we think of you.
Fondly remembered by,
Amelia and Mike.

BEARSS — In loving memory of my dear brother, Glen, who gave his life at Igoville, France, Aug. 27th, 1944.

He had a nature you could not help loving,
And a heart that was purer than gold,
And to those who knew him and loved him
His memory will never grow cold.
—Always remembered, Budd.

Time Table For Ration Coupons

Dates new coupons will be valid:
Butter—coupons 121 valid Sept. 6; coupon 122 valid Sept. 20; coupon 64 valid Sept. 27.
Sugar — coupon 63 valid Sept. 20; coupon 64 valid Sept. 20.
Preserves—coupons P16 and P17 valid Sept. 20.

Grimsby's Adopted Ship Is Being Taken Out Of Active Service

The close of the war has brought to an end a pleasant duty performed for some years by a committee of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, a committee composed of Mrs. Neil M. Leckie, Convent, Mrs. W. G. Greig, Mrs. David Thomson, Mrs. Louise Morrison, Mrs. F. J. Millar.

In accordance with a plan adopted elsewhere as well as in Grimsby, a small ship of war, H.M.C.S. "Interceptor", with headquarters at Halifax, was assigned to this committee, and every few months large parcels of comforts were packed and sent to the ten members of the crew of this vessel. These parcels contained such items as razor blades, note paper, chocolate bars, salted peanuts, soap, tooth brushes, pencils, handkerchiefs, cigarettes, cheese, and other articles.

A special shipment was also made of a violin, a cribbage board, an electric iron, an electric toaster, and a splendid leather coat, as good as new, which had warmed the back of a well-known Grimsby gentleman, was sent as a very special gift to the captain of the "Interceptor", to protect him against the Atlantic blasts.

From Skipper-Lieutenant M. T. Pelletier and other members of the crew many letters of gratitude have been received, and one young tar from this ship, two years ago, came in person to Grimsby, bringing his bride for a Honeymoon visit in this place.

Now however with the war at an end, the ship and its crew have parted company, and this small episode, like many others of a similar nature has been brought to a conclusion. The following letter has just been received, and will be presented in a final report to the Lincoln Chapter of the I. O. D. E. when it meets in September, but the Regent or the Chapter has graciously allowed the Independent to publish this communication in advance of the date of this meeting.

Halifax, N.S., July 2, 1945.
H.M.C.S. "Interceptor",
c/o Fleet Mail Office,
Halifax, N.S.

Dear Mrs. Leckie:

Received the nice parcel mentioned in your last letter, also a parcel of cigarettes, and beg to acknowledge same with thanks; it was greatly appreciated by all.

As you are aware that demobilization is now under way and most of the boys will be returning to their homes in various parts of the country, I am convinced that they are taking with them a lasting remembrance of your Town and Organization.

Concerning the plans for the future, it is expected that this ship will be decommissioned in the near future and consequently not advisable for you to send any more parcels.

Myself, I am hoping to go on leave next week and on my return I will resign in order to return to my former position in the R.C.M. Police.

I hope on my return from leave I have a picture of the ship to send you and perhaps you might be interested in having a list of the crew and their home towns. I have tried to get a picture of them all, but my attempts have failed.

In closing, please convey the thanks of myself and the crew to the members of your Chapter, and we are wishing you all every success in your future activities.

"M. T. Pelletier".

August 16, 1945.
Mrs. Cecil Gowland,
Grimsby, Ont.
Dear Friend:

Just a few lines to let you know that I am home now in Toronto to get my discharge from the Naval Service, and to thank you for all the comforts that you have sent to me this last two years while I was on board the H.M.C.S. "Interceptor".

Your Lodge and yourself have done a wonderful thing in looking after our boys while they have

been away from their homes and families fighting this war, and I know that all our crew feel the same as myself, and that is, we can not thank you enough for everything that has been done for us.
Well, friend, I can not say any more, only that I am glad this war is over, and that everybody will soon be home again.
Hoping to be able to visit you in person one of these days,
Sincerely,
L/Sto. M., Victor Heaton.
P.S. Thanks again for everything.



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CELERY STALKS	NATIVE	2 for	29¢
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Coupons to use August 23rd

SUGAR, 46 to 62; PRESERVES, 33 to 57. P1 to 15; BUTTER, 90 to 119

BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID

Irvine Hummel is converting his fine large home on Depot street into a two family duplex.

A number of local sports took in the Futurity harness races at Dufferin Park, Toronto, yesterday.

Reeve Durham is busy today releasing 180 partly grown pheasants at different points in the township.

"Honey" Shelton, "The Little Shoemaker" is holidaying this week. The Old Back Shop is closed.

A rink of Grimsby bowlers went to Vineland on Tuesday night and cleaned up, bringing home both the first and second prizes.

Ex-Reeve H. G. Mogg has been appointed Supervisor of Assessment for Wentworth county at a salary of \$3,500 a year.

The Ontario Gazette this week states that Letters Patent of Incorporation have been granted to the Niagara Brick and Tile Limited, head office Grimsby and to West End Motors (Grimsby) Limited, head office Grimsby.

Mrs. Alexander R. McIntyre of Winona has presented to Union Lodge No. 7, A.F. & A.M., Grimsby a fine large photograph of the inauguration of Robert Burns into the Masonic order at Edinburgh, Scotland on March 1st, 1787. Accompanying the picture is a drawing in a bound cover of the picture with individuals numbered so that any and all persons present can be picked out by number and name.

Provincial Constable Harry Butler has been promoted to the rank of corporal and has been placed in charge of the St. Catharines detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police and named acting High Constable of Lincoln County. Cpl. Butler has been transferred to this district from Collingwood succeeding Cpl. C. W. Wood who was appointed as inspector in the Criminal Investigation Department of the Provincial Police with headquarters in Toronto.

Paid-Up List

All subscription re-newals and new subscriptions will be listed under this heading each week. Owing to labor shortage it is difficult to keep the dates on the paper labels up-to-date. Therefore please accept this as an acknowledgment that your subscription is paid.

Alfred Dickie,	Jerseyville	April, 1946
Lloyd Bull,	Toronto	Sept. 1947
Mrs. Murray Biggar,	Grimsby	Aug. 1946
Mrs. J. A. Selby,	Ridgeway	Aug. 1946
Gordon R. Lawson,	St. Catharines	Aug. 1946
J. D. Stuart,	Grassies	Jan. 1946
Mrs. W. H. Groce,	Grimsby	Mar. 1946
Harry A. Miller,	Grimsby	Mar. 1946
Mike Sweet,	Grimsby	July, 1946
Mrs. Godfrey Heathcote,	Grimsby	July 1946
James Beamer,	Grimsby	Aug. 1946
Charles Burgess,	Grimsby	Aug. 1946

Beach Cottagers Appoint Officers

The annual meeting of the Cottagers' Association of Grimsby Beach was held on Saturday evening in the tabernacle with George Barber, of Toronto, president, in the chair.

The church and Sunday school reports were read by E. R. Harwood and Percy Davidson. Both organizations showed increased attendance during the present season. The Friday evening movies for the children were shown to overflow audiences. John Harold gave a report of the water service.

A general discussion by the meeting in regard to a recreation hall and park improvements took place. Following were elected directors: Maxwell Purvis, K.C., of Toronto; John Bennett, Hamilton; T. A. Pugaley, Toronto; W. H. Betts, Grimsby Beach; George Barber, Toronto; George Lindsay, Toronto; and Lloyd Price, Toronto. Following the election the directors met and selected Maxwell Purvis, K.C., of Toronto, as president; W. H. Betts, vice-president; Hugh Emerson, Toronto, secretary-treasurer, and T. A. Pugaley, assistant secretary-treasurer.

Many a man gets in hot water when he gets boiling mad.

Real Estate

James G. MacIntosh has sold 1½ acres of fruit land at the rear of his home on No. 8 Highway east, to his next-door neighbour, Donald Aude.

The following properties have been sold by Winifred Congdon, Realtor:

54 acres; a very fine fruit farm, with modern tractor equipment. The present home has city conveniences, but will be completely modernized. Purchaser, J. G. Van Hezewyk from Toronto. Vendor, A. W. Finbow, Bensenville. 30 acres Main St. East. Fruit farm owned by Patrick Jordan. Duplex, 6 Maple Ave. Purchaser, G. M. Ghent. Vendor Mrs. Hardman. 46 Fairview. Purchaser, P. Jordan. Vendor, W. Turner.

The E. D. H. Apartment house on Main east (the Anderson property) has been sold again. This time Walter Priddle, Nelles Boulevard being the purchaser from Howard Young.

Would Pool Snow Plow Equipment

Lincoln county council which opened its August session Tuesday morning with Warden Cecil Secord in the chair, received a communication from Wellington county council enclosing a resolution passed by that body looking forward to possible tie-up storms like last winter which might be repeated this coming winter.

The resolution which was a lengthy one, recommended that the Ontario Highways Department take some efficient measures to pool snow-fighting equipment in each county, so that in case of county roads being blocked, the full pooled system under the control of efficient superintendents and specialized storm fighters would be available for any road in the county and could be distributed in various sections, that used on the provincial highways, as well as county equipment. The communication was sent to committee to be discussed.

George A. Carefoot, who has been appointed secretary-treasurer of the newly formed St. Catharines-Lincoln Health Unit, wrote asking that the amounts of money due the Unit under the arrangements made be handed over at once as the new organization has no money at all.

Fall Fair Dates

Welland	Aug. 29 - Sept. 1
Binbrook	Sept. 21-22
Thorold	Sept. 18-19
Ancaster	Sept. 25-26
Smithville	Sept. 26-27
Beamsville	Oct. 6-8
(Thanksgiving Day)	
Caledonia	Oct. 11-13
Simcoe	Oct. 1-4

Explanation Of Meat Rationing

Here's one good reason why meat rationing is necessary — we have been increasing sharply our shipments of meat to a hungry world. Notice the difference between 1939 and 1944. These are our total exports of Canadian fresh, cured and canned meat:

1939	204,000,000 lbs.
1940	364,000,000 lbs.
1941	492,000,000 lbs.
1942	564,000,000 lbs.
1943	620,000,000 lbs.
1944	860,000,000 lbs.

Same Prices As '44

The 1944 price will hold for the 1945 pack of canned fruits and vegetables, Wartime Prices and Trade Board announced recently. The prices are listed in an order effective August 15.

Canned soup and canned pork and beans are this year brought under the order for the first time. Canners' prices for these two items are held to the price charged in June, 1941, except where special authorizations have been issued by the Board.

Meatless Days

Start At 4 a.m.

To iron out some of the difficulties that faced restaurants which had to shift to a meatless menu at midnight of each meatless day, Wartime Prices and Trade Board has advanced the beginning of such days to 4 a.m. The same 24 hour period will apply, running through to 4 a.m. the following morning. Meatless days are Tuesdays and Fridays in public eating places.

This means there will be no doubt as to when meat dishes are available since all-night restaurants and cafeterias serving industrial workers on late shift are mostly through by 4 a.m. Furthermore it will mean one menu will suffice where two were formerly necessary for the same night.

Classified Advertisements

Two cents a word per insertion. Minimum charge each insertion 25 cents. Cash must accompany advertisement to guarantee insertion. A charge of ten cents is made for boxes.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE — One Good Rug, 9x6. Apply Phone 434-3L. 7-1c

FOR SALE — Fordson Tractor. Good condition. Telephone 199. 7-1p

FOR SALE — Four stacks of Mulching. Clifford Walker, Grassie. Phone Grimsby 97-w-2. 6-2c

FOR SALE — Wicker baby carriage in good condition. Apply 185 Main St. West. 7-1c

FOR SALE — Movable Garage, built in sections. Apply 33 Ontario Street. 7-1p

FOR SALE — 6-roomed house for sale. Possession Sept. 1st. Apply 16 Robinson St. South. 7-1p

FOR SALE — Oak dining table; six chairs; rocker; chestfield; couch; stroller. Phone 196-J. 7-1p

FOR SALE — Four-Burner Gas Stove, Automatic Pilot; Thermostat Oven. Apply 63 Christie Street. 7-1p

FOR SALE — Kitchen range, coal. Modern. Practically new. Apply Alex Mazur, 108 Livingston Avenue. 7-1p

FOR SALE — One verandah chair; one parlour organ, \$5.00. Apply J. C. Pettit, 15 Ontario St. Telephone 161. 7-1p

FOR SALE — Six sash, top 8x7½, bottom 28x24; six screens to match, one Quebec cook stove. Apply 29 Oak Street. 7-1p

FOR SALE — Gladfield Blooms for weddings, sick room, etc. Lloyd Pettit, 200 Main Street West, Phone 125. 6-4c

FOR SALE — Cedar posts, and poles, any quantity. Prices quoted on request. Apply Box 135, The Independent. 6-3p

FOR SALE — Honey in your own containers. 17c per pound. Have no cans at present but will have later. J. O. Moore, Grimsby. 7-1c

FOR SALE — Real buy! 1939 DeSoto Sedan, excellent condition throughout. Must be seen to be appreciated, \$220. cash. Telephone Burt Rogers, 158-W, Grimsby, nights. 7-1p

FOR SALE — Oak sideboard, large size; oak extension table; oak combination secretary and bookcase; oak hall-rack; wardrobe. Articles may be seen at 125 Main St. W. Phone 143 for appointment. 7-1p

FOR SALE — Five stoves; walnut dining-room table; walnut buffet; bed; dresser; sealers, quarts and pints; odd chair; boy's books; large table for packing shed; odd dishes. Apply Mrs. John McClelland, Highway No. 8, over P. J. Jordan's. Phone 177-w-11, Grimsby. 7-1c

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WANTED — Woman or girl for housework or plain cooking, one or more days a week. Sleep in or out. Apply P.O. Box 129, Grimsby. 7-1c

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WANTED — TO RENT, modern five or six room house by two adults. Apply Box 221, The Independent. 7-1p

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HOUSE WANTED — Wanted to rent fairly modern house with three bedrooms. Will pay good rent. Apply C. W. Riches, 266-J, Grimsby. 5-4c

Dissolution of Partnership

Mr. J. M. Lawson will carry on the business formerly known as Associated Engineering Service. Calls will still be received by Mr. Dillon at 206-W, for Mr. Lawson. Accounts receivable will be received by Associated Engineering Service.

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Caretaker Wanted

Applications will be received up to August 31st, for the position of CARETAKER of Grimsby Public Library. All tenders should be addressed to the:

SECRETARY, Grimsby Public Library, Box 478—Grimsby.

Notice to Creditors

In the Estate of CAROLINE MARIE DIEHL, sometimes known as Caroline Maria Diehl, late of the Township of North Grimsby, in the County of Lincoln, Widow, deceased.

Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said deceased who died on the Third day of March, 1944, are required to file their claims with the undersigned, on or before the 29th day of September, 1945, after which date such estate will be distributed having regard only to claims then received. FRASER, MOORE & THOMSON, Bank of Montreal Chambers, Market Square, London, Ont. Solicitors for the executor.

AUCTION SALE

— of — HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS AND CABIN EQUIPMENT

J. G. Pettigrew, Auctioneer has received instruction from the undersigned to sell by public auction on the premises of Mrs. D. Tulk, Th English Inn, between Grimsby and Beamsville on No. 8 Highway, Thursday, August 30th, 1945, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp, the following: Tables, Chairs, Cabin Stoves, Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Daven, 2 Chesterfield Suites, (nearly new); Dining Room Suite, Bureau, Model T. Ford Generator, Bicycle. Many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms: Cash J. G. Pettigrew, Auctioneer, Smithville, Ont. Mrs. D. Tulk, Proprietress.

AUCTION SALE

— of — HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

J. G. Pettigrew, Auctioneer, has received instructions from the undersigned to sell by Public Auction on the premises of Sarah A. Swayze, 4 Robinson Street North, Saturday, August 25th, 1945, commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp, the following: 3 Beds, Springs and Mattresses, (spring filled); 2 Dressers, 1 Hall Mirror, 1 Chesterfield, 2 Chairs, 1 Floor Lamp, 3 Rugs, (Floor); 1 Radio Table, 1 End Table, 1 Dining Room Table, 6 Dining Room Chairs, 1 Buffet, 1 McCarty Gas Range, (side oven); 1 Kitchen Table, 1 Lawn Mower, 1 Leather Rocker, (large); 6 Veranda Chairs, Sewing Machine, Lot of small articles.

Terms: Cash J. G. Pettigrew, Auctioneer, Smithville. Sarah A. Swayze, Proprietress.

AUCTION SALE

— of — MODERN HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

J. G. Pettigrew, Auctioneer, has received instructions from the undersigned to sell by Public Auction on the premises of L. M. Wilcox, 100 Maple Ave., Grimsby, Saturday, September 1st, 1945, commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp, the following:

Chesterfield Suite, Piano and Stool, Lamp, 2 Quebec Heaters, 2 Large Leather Rockers, 1 Rug, 9x12; End Table, Round Table, 1 Oval Centre Table, Small Stand, Pedestal, Bronze Bust, Queen Victoria, 1 Studio Couch, 1 Bronze Table Lamp, 1 pr. Candelabras, 1 pr. Silver Candle Sticks, 1 Hammered Brass Coffee Set, China Cabinet, 1 Oak Dining Room Suite, Large Radio, Morris Chair, 2 Foot Stools, Whetrol, 1 Desk, Clocks, 2 Floor Lamps, 1 Walnut Couch and Rocking Chair, (Horse Hair); 1 Spool Bed Complete, 4 Odd Chairs, 1 Electric Washing Machine, 2 Dressers, 2 Wash Stands, 2 Rocking Chairs, 1 Small Stand, 1 Dining Room Suite with 6 Chairs, 2 Beds and Springs, 1 Mattress, 3 Odd Tables, 3 Odd Dressers, 1 Cook Stove, 1 Kelvinator Refrigerator, 1 Kitchen Drop Leaf Table, 4 Chairs; 1 Premier Vacuum Cleaner, 1 Bissel Sweeper, All Kinds of Books, Electric Fan, Gas Engine, Gent's Bicycle, 1 Lawn Mower, Garden Hose, 1 Meat Safe, 1x2 Ring Electric Plate, 1 Ash Sifter, Verandah Couch and Chairs, 1 Wood Fern Box, 1 Wicker Fernery, Lots of Odds and Ends, Dishes, etc., Garden Tools.

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GRIMSBY MOUNTAIN

CONTINUATIONS

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WHITE AIRCRAFT
and fixtures. A considerable amount of office furniture has already been moved in.

Grimby Natural Gas Co. have completed the running of a gas line from their main on Ontario street and a large number of pieces of machinery have been brought in. The boiler room has been floored and is ready for the installation of the boiler and the heating system.

SGT. CLIFF MCCARTNEY
Major Arthur Biggar in the field artillery, Sgt. Clifford C. McCartney arrived home on Friday night last after being overseas since August 1941. After arriving in England the unit was turned into an Ack-Ack battery and as such went to the Mediterranean area and arrived in Italy in time to help blast Naples to pieces. "Pop" fought through the Italian campaign and suffered a severe attack of rheumatic fever and then toward the close of the fighting suffered a severe back injury which caused his return to England. Previous to enlistment he was an employee of the Ontario Department of Highways.

WINDING UP THE
Since the fund was started in February, 1941, \$3,285.90 has been collected and donated. Total expenditures amounted to \$3,144.29, which leaves a balance on hand of \$141.70.

During that time 3,140 packages of smokes each containing 300 cigarettes went across the pond or a total of 942,000 cigarettes. "Cammy" Millyard who was indefatigable in his efforts to put this fund over wishes to thank everybody for their contributions and their efforts in the many different ways of raising money for the fund. Also to W. E. Cullingford for his many hours of work in making collections from the counter bottles.

"TOKE" FAIR BACK
I had hoped to get back to my previous regiment but such was not the case. Instead, I landed with the Irish Regt of Canada, which is a Toronto Regt. I have a feeling that they will issue me with a Kilt and all the trimmings, and I will hate the idea of parading down Yonge St., Toronto in either Dec. or Jan. and cold wintry blasts hitting my bare knees. But I guess the best thing to do is wait and see.

We are situated in a small town in Northern Holland. They call it Joure. We are billeted in private homes, and have a nice soft bed and white sheets, so it isn't too hard to take.

We have a parade every morning, and the afternoon is taken up with sports. I am playing on the Co.'s soft ball team.

I guess that is about all I have to say at this time, so in closing, thanks again for the smokes, and the very best to you all in Grimsby.

As ever,
"Toke" Fair.

SERVICEMEN
Miss Nancy Haworth of Grimsby, who flew to the coast for the ceremony. He then served in Newfoundland and was one of the 120 men picked from the L. & W. to proceed overseas after the Dieppe raid as reinforcements for the R.H. L.I. which unit he has been with since. He took part in the Normandy invasion and was badly wounded in the arm in July of last year with shrapnel. He returned to his unit in November and fought right through to Germany. A brother Ted is still in Holland with the artillery and his kid brother William has finished his advanced training in Canada and is now stationed at Borden. Mrs. Metcalfe is a Sgt. serving in the C.W.A.C.

Pte. C. H. Downs, son of Emery Downs, R.R. No. 1, North Grimsby, was another arrival last weekend. He went overseas with the Q.O.R. of Toronto and saw plenty of action in the European theatre.

Pte. E. I. Hooker, son of Mrs. E. P. Hooker, 43 Murray street north, arrived home on Friday night last. He went overseas in 1942 with the Lincoln and Welland Regt. and took part in all the fierce fighting that the "Lincs and Wells" were engaged in from D-Day until V-E Day.

Pte. D. McIsaac a member of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders arrived home last week. He enlisted in 1940 and served with his unit on the east and west coasts and then spent 21 months on duty in Jamaica, returning to Canada in June of 1942 and proceeding overseas that same summer. He was all through the European invasion with the A. & G's and then returned to England. He resides at 32 Elizabeth street.

L/Cpl. Metro Z. Romak is a son of Mike and Mrs. Romak, Kerman

avenue north and enlisted in 1940 with the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. Served on both coasts in Canada and 21 months in Jamaica. Went overseas in the summer of 1942. Was wounded in France and returned to duty and was with his unit when V-E Day arrived.

Pte. C. E. Dunham, R.C.A.S.C. with his wife (the former Mildred Hughes) and child was living in London, Eng., when war broke out and the very next day he was called for service with the A.R.P. In July of 1940, along with 200 other Canadians in England, he joined up with the R.C.A.S.C. in the First Division. He served through the Sicilian and Italian campaigns and made the big trek last winter to Holland and then to Germany. When these Canadians enlisted in the Old Country it was the first time in history that a Canadian had ever been allowed to enlist anywhere except in Canada in the Canadian army. He was slightly wounded twice and suffered an attack of malaria fever. Mrs. Dunham came home to Grimsby immediately after he joined the army and has resided here since with her mother, Mrs. Robert Hughes.

IT COSTS MONEY
The Town council and the local Hydro Commission made any generous offer of free power.

A lot of people are under the impression that it is the fault of Manager Davey Thomson that the lights have not been on. This is positively not a fact. Mr. Thomson has no more authority to order the lights on than the editor of this paper has, and that is none.

Until such time as some organization agrees to pay for replacement of bulbs and guarantee power bills the lights will remain off and Davey Thomson has nothing whatever to do with it.

GRIMSBY CLINIC
who have returned say their lives have been saved through the use of this plasma which has been sent from Canada by the Red Cross.



YOU OUGHT TO KNOW..

Lake Trout found in the Lakes of Algonquin
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There is just a possibility a certain amount of this work may continue in Canada. A survey is now being made as to how best to carry on a Blood Transfusion Service now that the war is over. If your further co-operation is required in this regard you will hear from us. Again thanking you, and with kind regards.

Russell T. Kelley,
Chairman, Ontario Committee
Blood Donor Service

WAS IN ALDERSHOT
town of Aldershot. For two nights last week a bunch of them went wild here and broke all or most of the store front windows in all the stores and buildings down town. It was quite a riot. What the purpose was I don't really know but it

certainly doesn't give the Canadians a very good reputation. It makes it hard for us who have to stay. As to getting back home, I don't think I will be among the first. More probably to be last as I see it now. They are keeping all staff men here, and with the work I am doing will quite probably be here for some time yet.

I have just returned from 11 days' leave. Had a very enjoyable time and have been going place around the south-east coast which has been banned for the past five years. The people really flock to the sea-side resorts in numbers. The trains are really packed and I never saw so many people travelling as they are now.

I get the Independent every week and try to keep up with the

news. Some times four and five come together but they eventually arrive. I was reading over the Grimsby casualty list in a recent edition. I didn't know some of the boys had been killed until I saw their names. But I think Grimsby has done their part and I still time and have been going places to live as I have yet seen.

So thanks once again for the 300 cigarettes which I just received. I am looking forward to being home maybe by the end of this year.

Sincerely,
F. Bivand.

Aviation has made rapid strides. A few years ago the municipal airport was only a level place in a farmer's cow pasture.



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Why is it so important NOW? Because now is the time civilian goods are scarce, and money is plentiful. NOW is the time we must guard against paying MORE than things are worth... or buying things we

don't really need. We must support rationing, observe price ceilings, and avoid black markets. If we do this, we can keep prices from shooting sky high. If we don't, some day we'll be paying a dollar for fifty cents' worth of goods. This means your dollars—those dollars you've saved to buy your home—will only be worth fifty cents! This is inflation!

And after inflation comes depression! We know what happened after the last war! It mustn't be allowed to happen again. That's why, for our own sakes, and for the sake of the returned men to whom we owe a job, a future, a home of their own—we must make sure Canada's dollar remains steady. We must keep up a constant fight against our country's enemy—inflation!

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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL REVENUE—TAXATION DIVISION

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CONTINUATIONS

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WATER COMMISSION

mediate future when a new reservoir would have to be constructed. Officials of the Ontario Department of Health have inspected the chlorinating system at the pump house and report that the present system is worn out. It has been in use since 1922 and the outfit is antiquated as well as the fact that this old type system is not now manufactured and parts for it are practically unobtainable.

Commission will secure prices of a new system from the various firms that make this kind of equipment and purchase a new plant. As far as is known at present there is not much hope of a new system being installed for less than \$2,000.

A new float has been purchased for the reservoir but Supt. Henderson has not been able to instal same owing to shortage of labor.

A new cam shaft and other repairs have been made to the emergency gasoline engine and pump at the pump house.

Repairs have been made to the chlorinating machinery at the pump house and will be kept intact as an emergency plant.

Commission is unable to supply Fred. Mason with a water service on Murray street north, as his place at present time is 800 feet from the end of a 3/4 inch water main and another 800 feet from the big main. Two residents of the township west of Murray street al-

so asked for water but Commission can not comply with their request.

Supt. Henderson had a lot of difficulty with a bad break in the main at the corner of Main and Robinson streets last week owing to the fact that he was unable to keep the water in the trench at low enough ebb in order for his men to make repairs. This situation was brought about by the fact that the Commission has not a water pump that can handle a pumping job of this nature. Prices will be secured on a new pump and motor.

John Hurd has a lot of live stock of one kind and another on his property on the Mountain Road, but has only one water tap. Commission believe he is using far more water than he is paying for with one tap on the flat rate. The question of installing a meter was discussed as they considered this location a place of business, but no action was taken.

Supt. Henderson has provided a temporary main on Kingsway Boulevard, and informed the Commission that he would like to see the permanent main laid up the centre of the Boulevard of the street instead of on one side of the street.

The sum of \$3,000 was ordered transferred to the Town of Grimsby. Accounts amounting to \$815 were ordered paid.

How Cool Is A Cucumber

"As cool as a cucumber," is a very old saying, and few have ever studied its origin, still less its truth. But one individual decided to see for himself just what truth there was in it.

One day, when the thermometer outside stood at ninety-eight degrees, Fahrenheit, this investigator bored a hole into the heart of the cucumber and inserted a thermometer. Rather to his surprise, he found that the inside of the cucumber stood at seventy-eight degrees while the outside air registered ninety-eight degrees. He tried this several times, with the same result.

LITTLE MAN, WHAT NOW?

by Collins



YE ANGLER'S DICTIONARY FISHING TERMS DEFINITIONS

Fishing—A disease for which there is no cure, "catching but not contagious." It formerly infected only savages, small boys and village ne'er-do-wells, but now attacks presidents, judges, ministers, doctors and ten million others. In extreme cases, the fever can be reduced by placing the patient in the hot sun for several hours.

The original purpose of fishing—of inflicting pain upon the worm, the minnow, the frog and the fish has been reversed. It is now an endurance test of the fisherman—trials by sunburn, moonshine, mosquitoes, poison ivy, lack of sleep, camp cooking and excessive confidence in "wild deuces."

Fishing Camp—A place to wear old clothes, eat half-cooked food, fight insects and act red-blooded. Liveliest hour are from midnight to daylight. Happy fishing parties have been spoiled by erratic individuals who insist on "going fishing." A favorite camp motto is "fish and visitors smell after two days."

Liar—A term used by every angler to describe all other anglers—a piscatorial prevaricator.

Bait—A secret word of the fishing fraternity for an illegal but highly exhilarating beverage which is carried on the hip. It will remove varnish, and counteract heat, cold, snakebite, bad luck, "that tired feeling" and "what-have-you."

Guide—A true conservationist in disguise. His duty is to take you fishing "where they ain't" and to encourage you to come back again "next week" when the water will be lower or higher; or clearer or wetter.

Plugs—Imitations of bananas, dill-pickles, darning needles, bugs, birds, bees, and bric-a-brac. They are now manufactured in many alleged lifelike shapes and are primarily designed to fool fishermen and to lure a dollar bill from his pocket. However, authentic records show that sometimes feeble-minded fish have occasionally been caught on these lures.

Rod—A sporty name for a fish pole. Rods are sold by weight—the lighter the rod, the heavier the price. Like knights of old, who splintered their lances in tournaments, all fishermen strive to have a fish break their rod—an event to boast about.

Reel—A coffee mill invented by the devil and designed to come loose, get out of order or to snarl your line up at critical moments, thereby inducing lurid and profane language.

Whopper—A term used to describe all fish which get away. Associated words are "whale", "big 'un", "sock-dolager" or "long-as-your-arm."

Creel—The distinctive item of a trout fisherman's uniform. A fragile wicker basket in which to hide a "crock," a worm can, a lunch or a slobber.

Waders—Large rubber shoes designed to carry large quantities of water from a stream to land. They are guaranteed to keep the feet wet and hot in summer and wet and cold at other times.

Fish line—An expensive piece of string used on a reel. It snarls gets knotted and is guaranteed to break at the right time, thereby creating the necessary alibi for the "big one" that always gets away.

Files—A feather imitation of "nothing ever seen before" and with very fanciful names. Files are mainly used to decorate fisherman's hats. They are made in two kinds, Wet and Dry. Wet files are gaining in popularity throughout Canada.

Boat—A leaky, vile-smelling tub, provided with a couple of tomato cans for bailing, and a pair of



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(Effective September 1st, 1945)

MAXIMUM PRICES FOR SALES OF LABRUSCA TYPE GRAPES BY GROWERS

- (1) To licensed shippers, wholesale distributors, and truckers, to any retailer operating a central warehouse separate from his retail outlet or outlets who takes delivery at such warehouses, and to any person who buy in carload lots, are listed in Column 1;
- (2) To any class of buyer other than those referred to in (1) above, and (3) below are listed in Column 2; and
- (3) To consumers are listed in Column 3.

NOTE:—All prices include free delivery to a buyer within 15 road miles of seller's farm or country shipping point. In other cases they are F.O.B. his country shipping point. All closed (covered) packages must be well and properly filled, according to the provisions of The Fruit, Vegetables and Honey Act. The open (uncovered) 6 quart basket must contain at least 8 pounds of grapes, net weight.

Grapes Grown in Ontario	Package	Col. 1	Col. 2	Col. 3
		(cents per package)		
Sheridan and Black Roger Varieties (when package is so marked) and All Red Varieties	6-qt. flat covered or 6-qt. open	39	45	60
All Other Varieties	6-qt. flat covered or 6-qt. open	36	41	55

Grapes Grown in British Columbia	(cents per package)
Sheridan and Black Roger Varieties (when package is so marked) and All Red Varieties	6-qt. flat covered or 6-qt. open
All Other Varieties	6-qt. flat covered or 6-qt. open
	46 53 71
	43 49 65

- OBITUARIES -

MRS. JOSEPH D. BODDY

The death occurred suddenly on Thursday while vacationing at Sudbury of Mrs. Ellen Morrow Boddy, wife of Joseph D. Boddy, 324 York Street, Hamilton, at the age of 80 years.

Deceased had been a resident of Hamilton for 25 years and was an active member of Christ's Church Cathedral, especially in the Mothers' Union and the Women's Auxiliary.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Charles Teeter, Niagara Falls, N.Y., formerly of Grimsby, and Mrs. Percy J. Morris, Rochester, N.Y.; three brothers, William Morrow, Toronto; Robert Morrow, Owen Sound; and Thomas Morrow, Manitowaning; a sister, Mrs. Bella Shuler, Toronto, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday, with interment in Queen's Lawn Cemetery, Grimsby.

MRS. A. W. EICKMEIER

Funeral services for the late Mrs. A. W. Eickmeier were held in St. John's Presbyterian church on Friday afternoon and were very largely attended by friends throughout the district. Rev. I. B. Kaine of Dunnville officiated, assisted by Dr. Neil M. Leckie.

Honorary pallbearers were: Wm. Sangster, J. H. Dick, David C. Thomson, George W. Crittenden, A. Burgess Book and J. H. Gibson. Casket bearers, Lewis and Henry Diegel; James Doyle, Harold Wilson, John and Lewis Eickmeier.

MRS. AGNES GLASS

The death occurred at the home of her brother, James Brown, New Toronto, on Friday last of Mrs. Agnes Brown, widow of the late Lawrence Glass.

Deceased came to Grimsby from Scotland, with her husband in the very early 1900's and resided here until a few years ago, when she went to reside in New Toronto. Her husband predeceased her about 35 years ago. During her lifetime in Grimsby she resided on Doran avenue and was a member of St. John's Presbyterian church. The remains were brought to Grimsby on Monday afternoon for interment in Queen's Lawn cemetery.

WILLIAM J. ANNABLE

The death occurred in London on Monday morning of a former resident of Grimsby, William J. Annable, in his 85th year.

Deceased moved to this district from the Ottawa Valley about 35 years or more ago and for some years farmed and butchered on the mountain in North Grimsby. He later moved to Clinton township and then moved to Middlesex county where he farmed for 15 years, moving into London city to reside eight years ago.

He is survived by his widow and four sons, Lloyd of Middleport, N.Y., Osborne and James of Beamsville and Ross of London; four daughters, Mrs. J. Gibson, Middleport, N.Y., and the Misses Della, Ada and Alice all of London.

The funeral was held from his late residence in London, yesterday afternoon, with interment in Queen's Lawn cemetery, Grimsby.

MRS. ROBERT COSBY

Death came with unexpected suddenness to Jane Sarah Cowell, wife of Robert Cosby, Depot St., on Saturday morning. Deceased had not been feeling in the best of health for some time but had only been ill for a day or two and her passing came as a great shock to many friends.

She was born in Tillsonburg and was in her 60th year. She had resided in Grimsby and North Grimsby for over 40 years and was well and favorably known.

She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Vernon Gowland of Hamilton, a niece Miss Pearl Coyle; two brothers, Fred of St. Davids, and Hamilton of Langton.

Funeral services were held from the Stonehouse Funeral Home on Monday afternoon to Queen's Lawn cemetery, Rev. W. J. Watt, officiating.

Casket bearers were Marvin Southward, Claude Sweet, Jesse Pendergast, Charles Mason, Graham Clarke and John Smith.

Mean temperature must be the kind when Old Sol is bearing down on you at a terrific pace.

The Russians must be a hearty race. To drink vodka regularly, you have to be.

Cammy's Mail Bag

Germany, July 24, 1945.

Dear Friends: I have received about 95% of the cigarettes that you have been so kind to send to me. And although many Canadians are returning home, it looks to me as if I may be here until Christmas at the least. So if it is still possible to carry on the good work I will certainly appreciate it. My regards to every one concerned. And thanks a million.

Pte. G. R. Terryberry.

Germany, July 21, 1945.

Mr. Millyard: Received your 300 Buckingham cigarettes which were most gratefully received as we have all been out of smokes for some time. Thanking you all again.

Yours sincerely,

Rfm. B. L. MacBride.

Again I am thanking you for the cigarettes which arrived today. One of the two cartons had been addressed 9 times and had also been rewrapped. Well any way thank you once again.

Pte. Burton.

Merryfield, Somerset, July 22/45

Dear Carm: Just a line to express my many thanks for the cigarettes I received from you a few days ago. Even in these days when things in general are much better, cigarettes are still most welcome.

I have seen a few of the boys from home in the past while, and some of the lucky but deserving ones who are on their way back home.

Perhaps soon now the rest of us will be able to follow, and it can't come too soon.

We will leave many good friends over here but Canada in general and Grimsby in particular are very

fine places to return to. Thanks again for the cigarettes, Carm, Hope to see Grimsby again soon.

Regards, Bert Norton.

Dear Sir:

I have been receiving the cigarettes you send me quite regularly and I want to thank you very much and I do appreciate them.

Although I am still of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, I am now employed on the staff of this depot and I expect that I shall be here for quite some time yet. So if you send any more cigarettes you could use my new address please.

When I get back there I am looking forward to living once more in Grimsby (and enjoying some of that fruit that grows there).

This will be about all for now.

Yours truly,

B. M. Chapman.

July 25th, 1945.

Mr. Millyard: After many months two cartons of cigarettes you sent last winter caught up to me, where they have been or why I couldn't say.

Anyway they are really appreciated, believe me; and thanks to yourself and the people of Grimsby for remembering me.

Johnny K. Dick.

Wombledon Yorks,

July 1, 1945.

Dear Carm: I received another 300 cigarettes last week, and was sure pleased to get them. They seem to be coming through in pretty good time for the last couple of months.

The weather over here has been pretty good up until a month ago, and it has been windy and raining most everyday since. And when the weather gets bad up here on

the Yorkshire Moors, it is really bad.

Again I will say thanks a million for the cigarettes. And I hope to be in Grimsby soon.

Yours sincerely,

Roy Bowman.

Lemgo, Germany,

July 11, '45

Dear Carm:

Many thanks to you all for remembering me with the cigarettes that have just caught up to me. They are appreciated a great deal. How long it will be before I get a chance to see the old home town again is uncertain but I hope that it will be in the near future now. Give my best regards to all my friends and tell them that none of us can wait for the day too patiently when we'll all be back with you. Thanks again and keep up the good work.

L/Cpl R. H. Wells.

Mr. Millyard:

Just a line to let you know that I received a most welcome gift of 300 cigarettes from you yesterday. Needless to say your kind gesture is greatly appreciated and I thank you most sincerely.

As ever,

O. Beamer.

June 29, 1945

Sir:

Many thanks for your 300 Buckingham smokes I received. They were sent in May and followed me to my present address, and I sure am happy they arrived because I was just on my last deck of weed (that I must say is a slang expression for the last package of cigarettes). However, Sir, I am greatly indebted to you kind people for thinking of us over here, it seems home is ever so far away, but when we receive anything from home, it seems home is so much closer and that we are not forgotten. So thanking you all again.

I remain,

Pte. R. Lupkoski,

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